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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Ding *et al.* Confirmation No.: 1077  
Serial No.: 10/071,400 Art Unit: 3763  
Filed: February 7, 2002 Examiner: Michael M. Thompson  
For: MEDICAL DEVICE WITH Attorney Docket No: 10177-111-999  
SPONGE COATING FOR CAM No.: 008563-999109  
CONTROLLED DRUG RELEASE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 3, 2005 be extended for a period of 2 month(s) from September 3, 2005 to and including November 3, 2005.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$450.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 3, 2005

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